Water Project for Bangalore aided by Japan

4718. SHRI TARLOCHAN SINGH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

the progress of the Rs. 3,500 crores water project aided by Japan for the city of Bangalore;

whether the consultants have been appointed by the Bangalore Water Supply and Sewage Board; and

whether his Ministry has ensured that there is proper transparency in the process of selection of the consultants for the international project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of House.

Slum dwellers in metropolitan cities

4719. SHRI SYED AZEEZ PASHA: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

what is the social composition of the slum dwellers in metropolitan cities; and

what are the measures taken to rehabilitate them properly?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (KUMARI SELJA): (a) The details are at Statement (See below).

(b) The Government has launched Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) with effect from December 3,2005 to address the issues of provision of housing and civic amenities in slums in addition to city-wide infrastructure facilities. The Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) programme addresses housing and civic amenities in 63 Mission cities. Similar problems of non-Mission cities are addressed through the scheme of Integrated Housing and Slum Development Programme (IHSDP). The Mission period is 2005-2012.

Statement

Number of citizens living in slums in metropolitan cities (Census 2001)

Name of city	SC	ST	Others	All
Greater Mumbai	385,626	56,567	6,033,247	6,475,440
Delhi	483,640	0	1,367,591	1,851,231
Kolkata	92,812	2,507	1,389,990	1,485,309
Chennai	269,301	1,830	548,742	819,873
Bangalore	139,920	6,957	283,624	430,501
Hyderabad	89,860	8,875	528,114	626,849
Ahmedabad	95,633	6,692	371,337	473,662
Surat	125,127	5,264	378,094	508,485
Kanpur	30,112	36,236	301,632	367,980
Pune	84,255	786	407,138	492,179
Jaipur	90,607	19,957	258,006	368,570
Lucknow	24,943	107	154,126	179,176
Nagpur	151,111	107,936	478,172	737,219
Indore	61,244	4,429	195,302	260,975
Bhopal	36,073	5,794	83,853	125,720
Ludhiana	47,917	0	266,987	314,904
Patna	944	0	2,648	3,592
Vadodara	20,765	12,823	152,432	186,020
Agra	39,054	22	82,685	121,761
Thane	23,722	10,955	316.388	351,065
Kalyan-Dombivli	7,111	323	27,426	34,860
Varanasi	16,622	0	121,355	137,977
Nashik	44,198	16,749	77,850	138,797
Meerut	111,345	25	360,211	471,581
Faridabad	57,763	0	433,218	490,981
Pimpri Chinchwad	50,607	2,355	70,995	123,957
Haora	9,430	368	108,488	118,286
Total	2,589,742	307,557	14,799,651	17,696,950